Pursuant to Local Rules 7-11 and 79-5 for the United States District Court in the Northern District of California, the Court finds that the protection of the peer review process constitutes a "compelling reason" for sealing the documents at issue; therefore, it hereby **GRANTS** Defendant's request sealing in part certain factual excerpts from the Answer of Alta Bates Summit Medical Center to Plaintiff's Complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED:

DATED: September 10, 2007

HON. WILL DIVI H. ALSUP
United States District Court Judge

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